

Poultry Press

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To make known to all that there are two libraries in America with important collections on microfilm of *Poultry Press*, the primary monthly publication in America that focuses on exhibition poultry. Those two libraries are:

- 1. Albert R. Mann Library, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY 14853**
- 2. National Agricultural Library, Beltsville, MD 20705**

Historians and research workers with an interest in exhibition poultry America in the period 1943-2000 should, therefore, contact those two libraries if they are interested in reading the copies of *Poultry Press* in their collections.

About Poultry Press:

Poultry Press <info@poultrypress.com> is published in Connersville, Indiana 47331. At the head of the *Poultry Press* webpage, we read:

“*Poultry Press* is a family-owned and run monthly publication in a newspaper format which is mailed all over the world. *Poultry Press* is the essential guide for anyone who raises, shows or has an interest in poultry. Within each issue are numerous articles designed to better your breeding, hatching, raising and showing of poultry. We have listings in the form in advertisements which will let you know where the shows are in your area. In addition there are many advertisements where you can purchase Bantam Chickens, Large Fowl (Standard) Chickens, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys, etc.

“In the back of the newspaper we have a Classified section where you can sell or find all types of poultry or poultry supplies or books or any other poultry related items. In addition a listing of the specific breed clubs and national organizations devoted to poultry can be found throughout the newspaper.

“We have a section devoted to poultry judges that are available for hire from all over the country and Canada. There are plenty of pictures throughout the newspaper which show you the Champions and their owners throughout North America. We welcome you to subscribe today so that you do not miss out on a hobby that has brought such joy to countless numbers of individuals all over the world.”

Background information on the *Poultry Press* microfilm collections at the National Agricultural Library and at Cornell University:

For many years, as a breeder and exhibitor of standard Partridge Plymouth Rocks, we subscribed to and collected issues of *Poultry Press*. In 2004, having amassed a collection of 721 issues of *Poultry Press*, from the period October 1943-November 2000, we decided to have microfilmed all of these issues of *Poultry Press*. We did

so in an effort to preserve this astonishing archive of exhibition poultry history as primary research material for present and future generations of poultry and agricultural historians.

The microfilming (16,918 pages) was performed by Microfilm Data Management Consultants, Kingston, PA 18704, at a cost of \$5,221.22. Fourteen rolls of silver archival microfilm + one copy of those fourteen rolls were produced.

With the microfilming completed, Powell, then serving as the District 2 Director of the American Poultry Association, offered for sale, to the primary agricultural libraries in America, complete sets of these 14 rolls of professionally produced silver archival microfilm of *Poultry Press*, 1943-2000, at \$400 per set.

Poultry Press Microfilm at the National Agricultural Library, Beltsville, MD:

On November 29, 2004, the American Poultry Historical Society, Madison Wisconsin, purchased a set of these 14 rolls of microfilm to be placed in the National Agricultural Library, Beltsville, MD. See below (1) the 2-page letter of November 29, 2005 (should read 2004) from Louis C. Arrington to S. Robert Powell, and (2) the letter of December 13, 2004 from S. Robert Powell to Dr. Nicholas Zimmermann.

Letter (two pages) of November 29, 2005 (letter incorrectly dated 2005; should be dated 2004), from Louis C. Arrington to S. Robert Powell

AMERICAN POULTRY HISTORICAL SOCIETY
1675 Observatory Drive
Madison, WI 53706

29 November 2005

Dr. S. Robert Powell
APA District 2 Director
R. D. #1, Box 40
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706

Dear Dr. Powell:

Some time ago, you apparently sent an e-mail to Richard Erdman regarding your project of putting *POULTRY PRESS* onto microfilm. He passed the information on to a co-worker at the University of Maryland, Nick Zimmermann. Nick is the current president of the American Poultry Historical Society.

The APHS focuses on preservation of the history of the commercial poultry industries in North America, while *POULTRY PRESS* deals mostly with exhibition poultry. We do, however, recognize the important contributions that exhibition poultry made in the development of commercial strains of poultry, as included in our book on the industry's history.

After discussions with other APHS officers and board members, it was decided to purchase a copy to be placed in the National Agricultural Library at Beltsville, Maryland. This will be a great supplement to the large volume of printed materials we have placed with the National Ag Library. The NAL librarian did ask whether there were any restrictions on access to the microfilms, as they are a public institution.

Our check for \$400 is enclosed. I would ask you to ship the microfilms to Nick Zimmermann and he will get them to the library. Nick's address, e-mail and phone (in case there are any questions) are listed on the enclosed order form. We do appreciate your efforts to make this material available.

Sincerely,



Louis C. Arrington
Treasurer

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College of Agricultural and Life Sciences

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Madison, WI 53706-1284

A copy of these 14 rolls of poultry history on microfilm belong in all state and provincial agricultural libraries and archives in North America. A copy should also be available in your local public library.

microfilm ORDER FORM

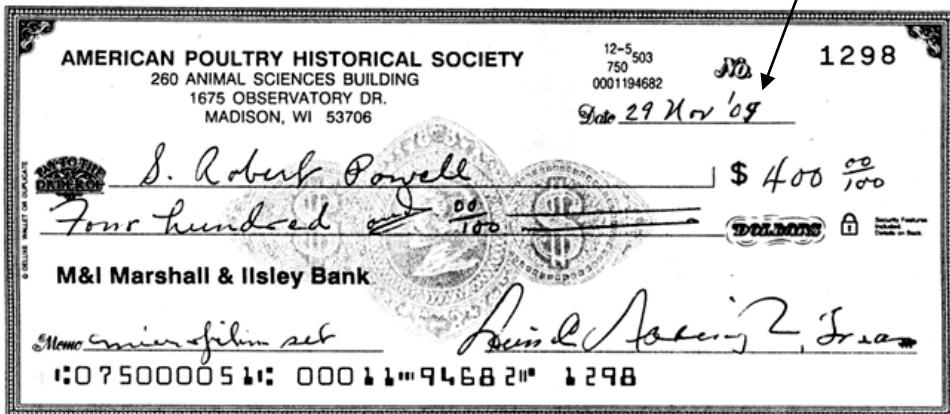
Microfilm of Poultry Press, 1943-2000: 14 rolls of professionally produced 35 millimeter silver archival microfilm, @ \$400 for the complete set.

Please send me a complete set of the 14 rolls of 35 mm. microfilm of Poultry Press, 1943-2000. My check/money order is enclosed.

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Department of Animal & Avian Sciences
3151 AnSci/AgEn Building
Address: Univ of Maryland - College Park
College Park, MD 20742-2311
E-Mail: NickZ@umd.edu
Phone: 301/405-2805

Mail order to: S. Robert Powell, APA District 2 Director
R. D. #1, Box 40, Carbondale, PA 18407-9706

Date corrected
to “2004” by
Arrington



Letter of December 13, 2004 from S. Robert Powell to Dr. Nicholas Zimmerman:

American Poultry Association

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December 13, 2004

Dr. Nicholas Zimmermann
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University of Maryland
College Park, MD 20742-2311

Dear Dr. Zimmermann:

In accordance with the instructions in the November 29, 2004 letter of Louis C. Arrington (Treasurer, American Poultry Historical Society) to us (copy attached), we have shipped to you, today, a complete set of the microfilm edition of *Poultry Press*, 1943-2000 (14 rolls of 35 millimeter silver archival microfilm); APHS check #1298 for \$400 received.

We are very pleased to learn that this microfilm will be placed in the National Agricultural Library at Beltsville, MD. We do understand that the NAL is a public institution and see no reason why there should be any restrictions of any kind on access to these microfilms.

We appreciate the American Poultry Historical Society's interest in and support of this microfilm project to preserve the history of exhibition poultry in America.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell
District 2 Director
American Poultry Association

***Poultry Press* Microfilm at the Cornell University, Ithaca, NY:**

On July 28, 2009, Powell donated the originals of the 14 rolls of 35 millimeter silver archival microfilm of *Poultry Press* for the period 1943-2000 to Cornell University, Ithaca, NY. At the same time, he turned over to Cornell University the paper originals of those 721 issues of *Poultry Press*.

The Issues of *Poultry Press* in the National Agricultural Library and at Cornell University:

In the collections of *Poultry Press*, both at Cornell University and at the National Agricultural Library, there are 721 issues of *Poultry Press* for the period 1943-2000.

Many of the issues from the period 1943-1949 are missing (possibly they were not published during the World War II period?). Fifty-three of the issues from that 7-year period, however, are included. For the 50-year period, 1950-2000, however, only 14 issues are missing.

One or more issues per month of *Poultry Press* were published in the period 1943--July 1955. Since August 1955, *Poultry Press* has been published once a month. In the period 1943-2000, *Poultry Press* was printed in six different formats:

Volume	XXIX,	No.	25	to	Volume	XXXV,	No.	14,	18"	x	24"	
Volume	XXXV,	No.	16	to	Volume	50,	No.	5,	11"	x	15"	
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Volume	52,	No.	11	to	Volume	60,	No.	2,	11	1/2"	x	17"
Volume	60,	No.	3	to	Volume	60,	No.	12,	11	1/2"	x	15"
Volume	61,	No.	1	to	Volume	86,	No.	12,	11	1/2"	x	17"

Here is a list of the specific issues of *Poultry Press* on 35-millimeter microfilm at the National Agricultural Library and at Cornell University:

Volume XXIX	No. 25	10-21-43
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	No. 20	08-10-44
Volume XXXI	No. 18	07-12-45
	No. 19	07-26-45
	No. 20	08-09-45
Volume XXXII	No. 13	05-02-46
	No. 14	05-16-46
	No. 18	07-11-46
	No. 19	07-25-46
Volume XXXIII	No. 23	09-18-47
	No. 24	10-02-47
	No. 25	10-16-47
	No. 26	10-30-47
Volume XXXIV	No. 5	01-08-48
	No. 15	05-27-48
	No. 16	06-10-48
	No. 17	06-24-48

	No. 19	07-22-48
	No. 20	08-05-48
	No. 25	10-14-48
Volume XXXV	No. 4	12-23-48
	No. 5	01-06-49
	No. 6	01-20-49
	No. 7	02-03-49
	No. 8	02-17-49
	No. 10	03-17-49 (pp. 1-2, only)
	No. 11	03-31-49
	No. 13	04-28-49
	No. 14	05-12-49
	No. 16	06-09-49
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Volume XXXVI	No. 1	11-10-49
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Volume 42, No. 1 (12-1955)—No. 12 (11-1956) August 1956 missing

Volume 43, No. 1 (12-1956)—No. 12 (11-1957)

Volume 44, No. 1 (12-1957)—No. 12 (11-1958) March 1958 missing

Volume 45, No. 1 (12-1958)—No. 12 (11-1959)

Volume 46, No. 1 (12-1959)—No. 12 (11-1960)

Volume 47, No. 1 (12-1960)—No. 12 (11-1961) March 1961 missing

Volume 48, No. 1 (12-1961)—No. 12 (11-1962)

Volume 49, No. 1 (12-1962)—No. 12 (11-1963)

Volume 50, No. 1 (12-1963)—No. 12 (11-1964)

Volume 51, No. 1 (12-1964)—No. 12 (11-1965) May 1965 missing

Volume 52, No. 1 (12-1965)—No. 12 (11-1966)

Volume 53, No. 1 (12-1966)—No. 12 (11-1967)

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Volume 60, No. 1 (12-1973)—No. 12 (11-1974)
Volume 61, No. 1 (12-1974)—No. 12 (11-1975)
Volume 62, No. 1 (12-1975)—No. 12 (11-1976)
Volume 63, No. 1 (12-1976)—No. 12 (11-1977) June 1977 missing
Volume 64, No. 1 (12-1977)—No. 12 (11-1978)
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Volume 75, No. 1 (12-1988)—No. 12 (11-1989)
Volume 76, No. 1 (12-1989)—No. 12 (11-1990) April 1990 missing
Volume 77, No. 1 (12-1990)—No. 12 (11-1991)
Volume 78, No. 1 (12-1991)—No. 12 (11-1992)
Volume 79, No. 1 (12-1992)—No. 12 (11-1993)
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Volume 84, No. 1 (12-1997)—No. 12 (11-1998)
Volume 85, No. 1 (12-1998)—No. 12 (11-1999)
Volume 86, No. 1 (12-1999)—No. 12 (11-2000)

Additional Donation by S. Robert Powell of Poultry and American Agricultural Publications to Cornell University:

In 2013, Powell donated the paper originals of all of the following publications about exhibition poultry and American agriculture to Cornell University, where they can now be read by all interested persons.

The Agricultural Epitomist

(Indianapolis, IN)

June 1891

Blacksmith & Wheelwright

Volume 84, No. 4, October 1921

Volume 97, No. 5, May 1928

Comfort

The Key to Happiness and Success in over a Million Farm Homes

(Augusta, ME)

Volume XXXVII, No. 8, June 1925

Volume XXXVII, No. 9, July 1925

Volume XXXVII, No. 10, August 1925

Volume XXXVII, No. 12, October 1925

Volume XXXVIII, No. 1, November 1925

Volume XXXVIII, No. 2, December 1925

Volume XXXVIII, No. 4, February 1926

Volume XXXVIII, No. 5, March 1926

Country Gentleman

Volume XLVI, No. 1472, April 14, 1881

Volume XLVI, No. 1473, April 21, 1881

Volume XLVI, No. 1474, April 28, 1881

Volume XLVI, No. 1475, May 5, 1881

The Farm and Household

(Wallingford, CT)

Volume IX, No. 1, March 1886

The Farm Builder for Better Homes and Farm Buildings

Volume 2, No. 4, July/August, 1950

Farm Field and Stockman

Volume VII, No. 85, January 1, 1885

Farm and Home
(Springfield, MA)
Volume V, No. 57, November 1884

Farm Fireside
(Springfield, Ohio)
Volume 1, No. 11, March 1, 1878
Volume 1, No. 12, March 15, 1878
Volume 1, No. 18, June 15, 1878

The Farm Journal
Volume XXXVII, No. 4, April 1913
Volume XXXVII, No. 7, July 1913
Volume XXXVII, No. 8, August 1913
Volume XXXVII, No. 9, September 1913
Volume XXXVII, No. 10, October 1913

Farm Life, An Illustrated Monthly Magazine for Farm Folks
Volume IV, No. 2, December 1904
Volume IV, No. 3, January 1905 (3 copies)
Volume IV, No. 5, March 1905 (2 copies)
Volume IV, No. 6, April 1905
Volume V, No. 2, June 1905
Volume V, No. 4, August 1905

The Feather Fancier
(Forest, Ontario, Canada)
Volume 21, No. 245, July-August 1965
Volume 21, No. 247, October 1965
Volume 21, No. 251, February 1966
Volume 22, No. 252, March 1966
Volume 22, No. 253, April 1966
Volume 22, No. 259, November 1966
Volume 22, No. 161, January 1967
Volume 24, No. 282, December 1968
Volume 24, No. 283, January 1969

Volume 31, No. 358, November 1975
Volume 41, No. 466, September 1985
Volume 41, No. 469, December 1985
Volume 41, No. 470, January 1986
Volume 45, No. 512, December 1989

Hen House Herald
March 1987

The Household Monthly
(Lynn, MA)
Volume IV, No. 3, December 1888

The Housekeeper, A Journal of Domestic Economy
(Minneapolis, MN)
Volume VIII, No. 1, January 1885

The Housewife
Volume XXI, No. 7, December 1904
Volume XXIV, No. 5, October 1907

The National Farm Journal
Volume LVIII, No. 8 August 1934
Volume LVIII, No. 10, October 1934

Pennsylvania Farmer
Volume 173, No. 9, November 13, 1965

Pennsylvania Poultry Review
Volume III, No. 2, July 1952
Volume II, No. 3, August 1952
Volume III, No. 4, September 1952

The Poultryman, Weekly Newspaper of the Poultry Industry
Volume VI, No. 41, May 21, 1937

The Poultryman, National Newspaper of the Industry

Volume XXI, No.36, May 2, 1952
Volume XXI, No. 37, May 9, 1952
Volume XXI, No.38, May 16, 1952
Volume XXI, No. 46, July 11, 1952
Volume XXI, No. 48, July 25, 1952
Volume XXI, No. 49, August 1, 1952
Volume XXI, No. 50, August 8, 1952
Volume XXII, No. 18, December 26, 1952
Volume XXII, No. 21, January 16, 1953
Volume XXII, No. 23, January 30, 1953
Volume XXIII, No. 1, August 28, 1953
Volume XXIII, No. 19, January 1, 1954
Volume XXIII, No. 20, January 8, 1954
Volume XXIII, No. 26, February 19, 1954
Volume XXIII, No. 27, February 26, 1954
Volume XXIV, No. 15, December 3, 1954
Volume XXIV, No. 16, December 10, 1954
Volume XXX, No. 41, May 26, 1961

Reliable Poultry Journal

Volume XXVII, No. 6, August 1920
Volume XXVII, No. 7, September 1920
Volume XXVII, No. 8, October 1920
Volume XXVII, No. 9, November 1920

The Rural New-Yorker, A Journal for the Northeastern Farm Family

Volume LX, No. 2665, February 23, 1901
Volume XCIII, No. 5308, November 24, 1934
Volume XCIII, No. 5309, December 8, 1934
Volume CIII, No. 5802, December 19, 1953

Successful Farming

Volume XXVIII, No. 5, May 1930

Tribune and Farmer, A Weekly journal devoted to the Farm, Shop and Fireside
Volume XIII, No. 26, December 27, 1884

Tribune Farmer
(Philadelphia, PA)
Volume XII, No. 26, November 17, 1883

The World's Only Bantam Newspaper
Volume 15, No. 9, October 1956
Volume 15, No. 10, November 1956
Volume 15, No. 11, December 1956
Volume 15, No. 12, January 1957
Volume 16, No. 1, February 1957
Volume 16, No. 2, March 1957
Volume 16, No. 3, April 1957
Volume 16, No. 4, May 1957
Volume 16, No. 5, June 1957
Volume 16, No. 6, July 1957 (2 copies)
Volume 16, No. 7, August 1957
Volume 16, No. 8, September 1957
Volume 16, No. 9, October 1957
Volume 16, No. 10, November 1957
Volume 16, No. 11, December 1957
Volume 16, No. 12, January 1958
Volume 17, No. 1, February 1958
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Volume 17, No. 10, November 1958
Volume 17, No. 11, December 1958
Volume 17, No. 12, January 1959

Volume 18, No.1, February 1959
Volume 18, No. 2, March 1959
Volume 18, No. 4, May 1959
Volume 18, No. 3, April 1959
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